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THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/786,305

Applicant: Labrie, et al.

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Title: **"APPARATUS FOR DEPLOYING AN AIR BAG THROUGH A HARD PANEL"**

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**AMENDMENT A**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are reflected on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 12 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 21 of this paper and include 6 replacement sheets.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 22 of this paper.

Re-examination and reconsideration is requested.